



**PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. A-68556/RFT/JJD

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*In re* application of: \_\_\_\_\_ ) Examiner: unknown  
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 Philip S. Bernard et al. \_\_\_\_\_ ) Group Art Unit: unknown  
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 Serial No. 09/770,770 \_\_\_\_\_ )  
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 Filed: January 25, 2001 \_\_\_\_\_ )  
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 For: SIMULTANEOUS SCREENING \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 AND IDENTIFICATION OF SEQUENCE )  
 ALTERATIONS FROM AMPLIFIED \_\_\_\_\_ )  
TARGET \_\_\_\_\_ )

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**PETITION TO ENTER REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS FOR PUBLICATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.182**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is presented to submit replacement drawings for publication purposes. It is accompanied by the conforming drawings and petition fee as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or other relief as may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-68556/RFT/JJD).

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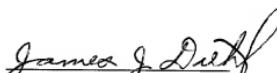
**REMARKS**

These drawings are submitted as replacement drawings which conform to the margin requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(g). Applicants request that these drawing are included in the application as published.

If the Examiner feels there are issues that may be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is respectfully requested to phone the undersigned at (415) 781-1989.

Respectfully submitted,

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